

Guaranty Bank Vice President Receives Nod

Jack E. Bryggare, 32, has been appointed vice president of Guaranty Bank in Torrance, P. Keith Hall, president, announced.

Guaranty Bank was founded in April, 1962, and is the only independent bank formed in the South Bay area in the past nine years. A resident of Southern California for the past eight years, Bryggare was born in Evanston, Ill., and was educated at Evanston Community College and Northern Illinois State Teachers College.

Immediately after serving with the U.S. Marine Corps in Korea, he entered the banking industry in California. Bryggare brings more than eight years' experience with Southland banks to Guaranty Bank. Bryggare, his wife, Peggy, and their two children reside in Harbor City.

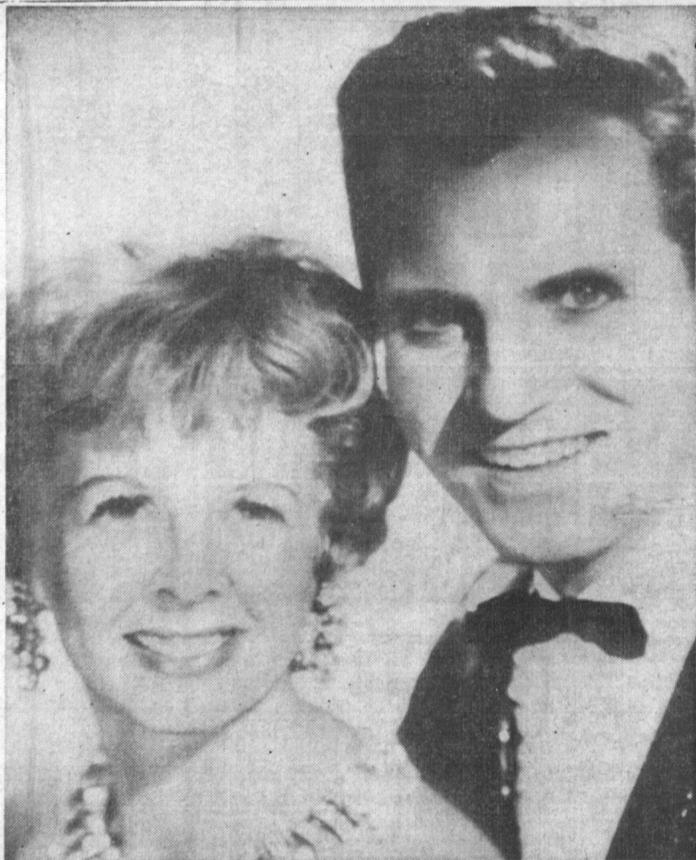
Construction was recently started on permanent headquarters for the bank on Hawthorne Blvd., just south of the Del Amo Shopping Center in Torrance. The new 8000-sq. ft. structure will represent an investment in land and building of over \$300,000.

State Directors Represent Area

State broker directors representing the Torrance-Lomita Board for 1963 are Realtors Alvin Grancel, Delbert Vaughn, Jack Schmidt of Paradise Realty, and Henry Mahler of Admiral Realty. Salesmen directors are Don Mario, Paradise Realty; and Irene Hamack of Ken Peters Realty.

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TOP VARIETY ACT will be featured at Torrance Police Show, scheduled Nov. 10 at new Long Beach Arena. Group is Ruth and Carl Carlsson, top European variety act who have been acclaimed all over Europe. Pearl Bai-

ley and other stars also will be on hand for show, for which tickets are available at \$3 per family. Tickets may be obtained at Torrance Police Headquarters or at arena night of performance.

Organ Concer Held Sunday At Auditoriu

Tailfords Organ Studios of Torrance and Bellflower, one of only 15 organ dealers to win the Organ Merchandisers Award in recognition of customer service and satisfaction for the fiscal year, are sponsoring an organ concert at which music lovers will get a chance to

hear something new and different Sunday at 7:30 p.m. A special organ concert will be held in the Peary Junior High School Auditorium, 1415 Gardena Blvd., Gardena, featuring the first "moving stereo" organ ever built. This unusual instrument

promises many exciting stereo high-fidelity effects never heard before. At the console of the Lowrey Coronation Organ will be Frank Renault. A national radio and TV artist, Renault also has had an extensive career, appearing with well-known orchestras.

Social Security Office Opens New Branch

Social Security has moved to Torrance.

The new Social Security District Office at 1408 Crenshaw Blvd. will hold "open house" Friday from 2 to 4 p.m. The occasion will begin with a ceremonial ribbon cutting at 2 o'clock.

According to Miles A. Davis district manager, opening of the new service office in Torrance resulted from the increasing volume of Social Security business incident to the rapid expansion of industry and population in the area.

In addition to Torrance, the office also serves Gardena, Harbor City, Hermosa Beach, Lawndale, Lomita, Manhattan Beach, Palos Verdes Estates, Redondo Beach, Rolling Hills, Rolling Hills Estates and Welteria.

Formerly, residents of these areas had to go to the district office in Long Beach or Inglewood for service. The new office location in Torrance, in addition to being out of the congested traffic area, is reasonably central to the several commu-

ties served, Davis said.

A tabulation of the records for the area indicates monthly Social Security payments for all types of benefits are being paid to about 26,000 individuals at the rate of about \$1.7 million per month.

Davis pointed out that proceeds of benefit checks are characteristically spent immediately for food, clothes and shelter.

This steady flow of more than \$20 million per year into normal trade channels provides a strong stabilizing influence for local busi-

nesses.

Davis extended an invitation to residents of the area to visit the new office or write or telephone for free booklets explaining the rights and benefits under the Social Security Program.

He suggested individuals and organizations who maintain listings of service facilities in the area should note the address and telephone number since it is not included in the current telephone directory.

The address is 1408 Crenshaw Blvd., Torrance; Telephone 320-4020.



WALTER K. DEACON has been appointed operations manager at Torrance plant of Vickers Inc., division of S2perry Rand Corp. Deacon has been chief engineer at Vickers since 1958.

Foundation Asks Drivers To Give Time

Adults with cars who live in Torrance and who are willing to volunteer a few hours of time to drive blind children in to Los Angeles for special classes are needed urgently by the Foundation for the Junior Blind, according to Norman Kaplan, executive director of the non-profit organization.

"Each Friday and Saturday we need drivers to pick up sightless youngsters at their homes and bring them in to the Foundation for classes or parties, or for nature trips or just plain fun excursions," Mr. Kaplan said.

Anyone able to give a few hours of his time is asked to contact the foundation for the Junior Blind, 4005 Wilshire Blvd., Los Angeles 5, or phone DUnkirk 5-4111 collect.

able to do so unless we can locate volunteers who are willing to drive," he added.

Kaplan pointed out that even one trip now and then would be of great help.

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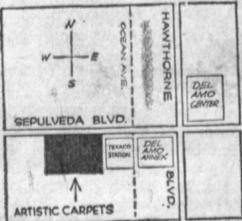
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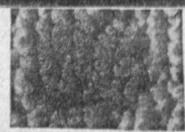
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